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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF MILITARY PERSONNEL

SUBJECT: O/NE Requirements for IAC Military Personnel

1. Pursuant to your telephone request of 6 September, we herewith restate O/NE requirements for IAC military personnel:

One officer from each service; i.e., Army, Navy, and Air Force. Preferably, Army and Air Force representative to hold rank of Colonel or Lieutenant Colonel; Naval Officer to be Commander or Lieutenant Commander.

2. This would give O/NE total of three IAC slots. Across the board representation is the essential element. Hence it is not satisfactory to substitute an additional Air Force slot, for example, for the Army or Navy slot.

3. At present we have two Air Force officers on duty. One is all we can profitably use. We have no Army and no Naval officer on duty.

4. The qualifications of the IAC personnel should include:

- a. Professional knowledge: a prime requisite is being able to give competent military, naval, and air opinion.
- b. Knowledge of and knowing people in their respective intelligence shops: it is all important, for example, that the Naval officer detailed to O/NE have the run of ONI, know the people in it and what they do, and to have an understanding of ONI operations.

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5. It is noted that Colonel Kyes, presently assigned to O/NE from USAF, is considered eminently qualified for the kind of work for which we want these IAC representatives.

FOR THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR NATIONAL ESTIMATES:

PAUL A. BOREL

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